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In Application of

**John G. McDonough**

Serial No.: **09/648,122**

Filed: **08/25/2000**

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ASSIGNING COMBINER CHANNELS IN SPREAD SPECTRUM COMMUNICATIONS**

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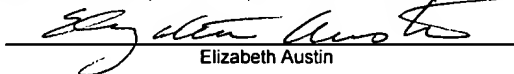
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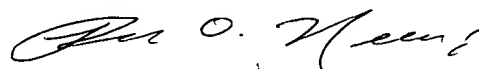
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